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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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JESIONOWSKI; and Judson Allen MCDOWELLFor: METHOD, SYSTEM, PROGRAM AND STORAGE CARTRIDGE FOR  
STORING DATA IN A STORAGE MEDIUM

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Enclosed are:

- ☒ 7 No. of Sheets of Drawings Sheet(s) of drawings (☒ informal) + 0 extra copies;  
☒ 30 pages of Application; 29 pages of specification, 1 page of abstract  
☒ An assignment of the invention to International Business Machines Corporation. (Will follow.)  
☒ A preliminary amendment.  
☒ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27.  
☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney. (Will follow.)  
☒ Certified copy of Patent Application No. filed from which priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.  
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E BASIC FEE*					\$710
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